

## CHRISTIANCY WANTS AN INVESTIGATION---PRESIDENT SEES BRONCOS RIDDEN

WORST BUCKER IN STATE OF NE-  
BRASKA GENTLE AS KITTEN

Teddy Eats at Mess Wagon at Edge-  
mont -- Tells Wyoming People  
That Congress Did Much for Them

Alliance, Neb., April 25.—President  
Roosevelt completed a hard day's  
work with a fifteen minute stop at  
Alliance. Captain Seth Butler, su-  
perintendent of the Black Hills forest  
reserve, who joined the President  
at Gardner yesterday, left the train  
here.

The President, who has a great ad-  
miration for Captain Butler, invited  
him to accompany him to the coast,  
but Butler was forced to decline the  
invitation.

During the day President Roosevelt  
traveled in three states and made a  
number of addresses, both from the  
rear platform of his car, and from  
the stands erected for the purpose.

The demonstration of the day which  
undoubtedly pleased the President  
most was the cowboy show at Edge-  
mont, South Dakota. The demon-  
stration was arranged by the Society of  
Black Hill Pioneers and consisted of  
cowboy riding.

Special trains brought in a large  
crowd from the surrounding country,  
and they were all at the stations with  
bands of music to greet the President.  
As the train pulled in, the cowboys  
let out a yell, the band played and a  
salute was fired.

The exhibition stand was but a  
short distance from the station, and  
after President Roosevelt made an ad-  
dress, the cowboys began to mount  
bucking horses. Only horses that  
would buck were ridden by the cow-  
boys.

The President partook of a lunch-  
eon at the mess wagon. The only  
disappointment of the day was the  
failure of the prize bucking horse  
of that section to perform. This horse  
has the record of being the worst  
bucker in the state, but today he was  
gentle as a kitten.

At the close of the exercises the  
cowboys formed an escort to the train  
and after it started they dashed along  
side the President's car. He shook  
hands with many of them from the  
window.

At New Castle, Wyoming, where a  
half stop was made early in the day,  
the President was escorted to a stand  
along a pathway strewn with flowers,  
and lined on the sides by school chil-  
dren, who waved miniature flags.

The President here referred to the  
irrigation law passed at the last ses-  
sion of congress and said he hoped  
much good would come from it, as the  
government would be able to under-  
take enterprises, which it cannot be  
expected private capital will under-  
take, and the government will be able  
to try experiments, from the result  
of which private capital may be able  
to learn much.

Stops were also made during the  
day at Gillett and Moorcroft, Wyo-  
ming; Ardmore, South Dakota; Craw-  
ford, Nebraska. Tomorrow will be  
spent quietly on the train at Grand  
Island, Nebraska.

### COPPER QUEEN BAND

Will Give a Grand Concert at the  
Opera House May First

On the evening of May 1st, the  
opera house will be the scene of a  
musical treat that should be patron-  
ized liberally by the people of Bisbee.  
The Copper Queen band will give a  
concert, assisted by local talent, com-  
prising instrumental and vocal music,  
after which there will be a social  
dance. The band is taking this means  
of raising funds for the purchase of  
a library of concert music, which  
will delight the public of Bisbee dur-  
ing the summer.

### PACIFIC COAST GAMES

Los Angeles, 4; Sacramento, 6.  
Portland-Seattle game postponed on  
account of rain.

Guthrie, I. T., April 25.—The Santa  
Fe has completed a survey of its en-  
tire Panhandle line from Amarillo,  
Texas, to Wellington, Kansas, for the  
purpose of securing a better route.  
The road will be remodelled for heavy  
traffic as a part of the Santa Fe's new  
California line.

HAD CHARGE OF OFFICE FROM  
WHICH PAPERS WERE TAKEN

Postmaster General Payne Sees What  
are Purported to be Papers Taken  
But Refuses to Believe it True

Washington, April 25.—Two impor-  
tant developments today in the investi-  
gation of the sensational abstraction  
of papers from the safe of the office  
of the assistant attorney general for  
the postoffice department, which led  
to the dismissal of that official, were  
the submission of what is purported  
to be the papers to the inspection of  
postal officials, and the decision of  
Postmaster General Payne to immedi-  
ately relieve Assistant Attorney Gen-  
eral G. A. C. Christiancy from office  
pending an investigation of his con-  
duct.

The action in the case of Christian-  
cy is taken at his own request. He  
states that he courts the fullest investi-  
gation.

Tyner's counsel today submitted to  
Postmaster General Payne and Fourth  
Assistant Postmaster General Bristow  
papers, which they said Tyner claimed  
constituted all that had been taken  
away, but the statement was made  
later by Postmaster General Payne,  
reciting the correspondence on the  
subject, and the submission of the pa-  
pers, specifically declines to accept  
the statement that the papers sub-  
mitted necessarily constituted all that  
were abstracted.

## WANT PARDON FOR BISBEE BOY

EFFORT MADE TO GET GEORGE  
WOHLISCHLAGEL RELEASED

With Raymond Overna, He Was Con-  
victed of Robbing Turf and An-  
chor Gambling Games in This City

An effort is now being made to se-  
cure the pardon of George Wohlschlagel,  
who is now serving a term of four  
years in the penitentiary at Yuma for  
robbing two gambling houses in this  
city.

The young man has now served  
about three years of the term for which  
he was sent to prison from Tombstone.  
The crime which made him a felon  
was committed in Bisbee, and consist-  
ed in the robbery of the Turf and  
Anchor gambling games.

In the robberies, which were daring  
in the extreme, Wohlschlagel was as-  
sisted by Raymond Overna, who was  
sent to prison, but later pardoned on  
account of his youth. The two worked  
together, Overna remaining on guard  
on the outside, while his pal entered  
the saloons and did the robbing.

Already a petition to Governor Bro-  
die, asking him to grant a pardon for  
the young man, has been prepared in  
this section and sent to Phoenix. It  
is expected that he will take action  
on the matter in the near future. The  
petition is signed by many who were  
instrumental in the conviction of  
Wohlschlagel.

The crimes of the two young men  
in this were city along the "Diamond  
Dick" line. One entered the saloons  
with an old pistol and made veteran  
gamblers throw up their arms, while  
the other stood on the outside to warn  
his companion in case any danger ap-  
proached.

It was several days before the out-  
raged got trace of the guilty pair. Sus-  
picion was directed toward them on  
account of the liberal manner in which  
they were spending money, though  
they had little or none previous to the  
robbery.

Conviction was finally made certain  
by the confession of Overna, who ad-  
mitted that he and Wohlschlagel had  
helped the saloons, securing several  
hundred dollars, the most of which  
they subsequently spent in fast liv-  
ing.

Wohlschlagel was well liked here,  
and it was some time before those  
who lost the money could be induced  
to appear for the conviction. Here is  
the excuse he made for the deed: "I  
have been losing to the games all my  
life, and I was trying to figure out a  
system by which I could win from  
them."

## A BIG LIFT FOR JOHN BULL.



Paying expenses begins to seem like raising himself by his boot-  
straps.—Minneapolis Journal.

## WORKMEN WON'T MANAGE

Acting upon a request from the  
Elks lodge the Workmen last night  
took up the matter of a celebration  
for the Fourth of July in Bisbee. Af-  
ter talking the matter over the Work-  
men decided that they did not want  
to take charge of the celebration.

After the meeting John S. Taylor  
said: "As a lodge we cannot take  
charge of this celebration for the rea-  
son that it is not permitted in the  
laws governing our order. We are  
not permitted to use the organization  
to promote anything of this kind."

"As individuals I think that almost  
every member of the Workmen lodge  
here will assist in making the cele-  
bration a grand success. Like the  
rest of the members, I am ready and  
willing to do all I can to take fitting  
notice of the day in Bisbee."

"I would like to see as successful a  
celebration as we had here last Fourth,  
when the world's championship drill  
contest was pulled off and brought  
people here from all over the coun-  
try. It was a great celebration and

we should have another like it."

At a meeting of the Elks held Fri-  
day evening they decided that the  
Workmen should be urged to take  
charge of the celebration, they be-  
ing the largest lodge in the city, and  
composed of men who would be able  
to make the celebration a success.  
It was not known at the time that  
there was anything in the laws of  
the Workmen to prevent them from  
taking the matter in hand.

At the meeting last night, the  
Workmen agreed that the best way  
to arrange for the celebration would  
be to call a mass meeting of citizens,  
and have committees appointed there  
that would take the celebration in  
hand and arrange all the details.

The Elks are anxious to see another  
Fourth of July celebration here such  
as was given the people last year.  
They are not inclined to again take  
hold of the matter and feel that one  
of the other fraternal orders in the  
city should step to the front and take  
the initiative. This opinion has been  
expressed by several prominent Elks.

## FIGHTERS GOING TO CANANEA

Tomorrow "Kid" Barney, Jack By-  
non, Joe Martin and Billy Welch will  
leave for Cananea, where Barney and  
Martin are to meet local pugilists in  
fights for the championship of Arizo-  
na in their class. The latter two  
are going early in order to get climat-  
ed.

Joe Strinker and Jack Benson will  
not leave here until May 3rd. They  
will do the rest of their training here,  
working on the road and in the gym-  
nasium. Both of them promise that  
they will be in the best condition  
of their lives.

Strinker and Benson are training to-  
gether. Though there is fifteen pounds  
difference in their weight, the boys  
make a rattling set-to when they are  
working out. Strinker, whose fight-  
ing at his last meeting with Barney  
was a revelation, is reported to be  
improving steadily.

Barney is being trained by Jack By-  
non. He is working conscientiously  
and expects to enter the ring in shape  
to make the fight of his life. He go-  
es with Strinker this time will be for  
fifteen rounds, and friends of Barney  
predict that he will be in the fighting

at every stage of the game.  
Billy Welch, who is training Mar-  
tin, stated yesterday afternoon that  
he is having a hard time keeping his  
man from doing too much work. He  
is taking the best of care of himself  
and will enter the ring in the pink of  
condition.

Strinker, who is working out with  
Benson, says that his mate is going  
to make a better fight at Cananea  
than he has at any time in Bisbee.  
He is now nearly down to weight, and  
is taking just enough exercise to con-  
dition himself for a fast hard fight.

"Kid" Sullivan, a clever pugilist  
from San Francisco, arrived here yes-  
terday, and will probably be matched  
with Welch for a go at Cananea during  
the big 80c carnival next month.  
Welch is now weighing about 140  
pounds, but can make 125 without  
much trouble.

The fights at Cananea will be re-  
ferred by Sid Coburn, a veteran of  
many hardfought battles in the roped  
arena. He thoroughly understands  
the fistie game from the bottom to  
the top, and will doubtless give en-  
tire satisfaction.

## FEDERATION JOINS IN ANYTHING BUT DYING

WILL HELP MINERS AGAINST  
MOUNTAIN COPPER CO.

President O'Connell of International  
Machinists Orders Them to Walk  
Out at Town Keswick, California  
Redding, Cal., April 25.—The Amer-  
ican Federation of Labor has taken a  
hand in the strike on the Western  
Federation of Miners against the  
Mountain Copper company, operating  
at Keswick.

The first move was made today by  
calling out the union machinists.

The order came from James O'Con-  
nell, of Washington, D. C., president  
of the International Association of  
Machinists, which is affiliated with  
the American Federation of Labor.

THREE MORMON BROTHERS HAVE  
NEARLY 600 DESCENDANTS

Salt Lake Paper Produces Statistics  
to Disprove Roosevelt's Statement  
That Mormon Race is Dying Out  
Salt Lake, Utah, April 25.—In com-  
bating President Roosevelt's race sui-  
cide theory, local paper tonight pub-  
lishes the names of the family of Lorin  
Farr, a Mormon pioneer living in Og-  
den.

Farr has been married six times.  
He is the father of twenty sons and  
nineteen daughters. He has 231 grand  
children and fifty-six great grand chil-  
dren. The descendants number 526.

Farr's two brothers, Elmer and  
Alma, have between them thirty-eight  
children and 227 grand children and  
great grand children, all living.

This makes the total number of de-  
scendants of the three brothers, 553  
souls.

## UNIONS LOOK BAD TO WESTERN UNION---RUSSIA GATHERS FLEET IN PACIFIC

WILL HAVE FORTY-TWO WAR-  
SHIPS IN EASTERN WATERS

Japanese Papers Seemed Alarmed Be-  
cause Rival Seems to be Prepar-  
ing For Trouble That May Arise

Victoria, B. C., April 25.—According  
to mail advices received here from the  
Orient, Japanese papers state that  
Russia is increasing her squadron in  
the far east. The Japan Mail says:

"With the assemblage in the Pacific  
of Admiral Stackelberg's squadron,  
now on its way out, the Russian fleet  
in far eastern waters will be com-  
posed of forty-two vessels, namely,  
six iron, clads, eight first class cru-  
isers, four second class cruisers, seven  
sea going gunboats, two transport ves-  
sels, three torpedo cruisers and twelve  
sea going torpedo boats.

The great majority of these vessels  
are of the most modern construction  
and are provided with all the latest  
technical improvements.

In addition to these forty-two ves-  
sels, there are in the Pacific a certain  
number of Russian steamers and  
small torpedo boats.

San Francisco, 4; Oakland, 2.  
PACIFIC NATIONAL GAMES  
Los Angeles, 10; Butte, 1.  
San Francisco, 3; Helena, 15.  
Seattle, 8; Spokane, 7.

## PYTHIANS WILL LAY BRICK SOON

MATERIAL FOR CASTLE ON O K  
STREET IS ARRIVING

Contract For Work to be Let in About  
Ten Days—Mr. Ord Says Work  
Will Begin in About Two Weeks

"The bricklayers will begin laying  
brick on the new Pythian temple in  
about two weeks," said E. G. Ord  
yesterday afternoon. "The contract  
for the work will be let in about ten  
days, and shortly after that things  
will begin to move right along."

Yesterday teams were hauling brick  
from the depot to the site of the new  
temple on O K street. The brick were  
made by the Naco Brick company and  
shipped here by railroad. In all about  
150,000 will be used in the construc-  
tion of the new building.

It was intended to make the lower  
floor of the building a dancing hall,  
but this has been changed and the  
floor will be divided into two large  
rooms. The upper floor will be  
divided into a banquet hall, lodge  
room and reception room.

"We have placed the order for our  
big town clock," said Mr. Ord. "It  
is to be made by the Howard Clock  
company of New York, which insures  
an almost perfect time piece. The  
clock will be visible from all parts  
of the city, and will be regulated by  
wire direct from Washington."

This clock which is one of the most  
needed things in the city, will strike  
a big bell every half hour. The sound  
will be loud enough to be heard in all  
parts of the city, except in the vicini-  
ty of the smelters.

"We plan to finish the interior of  
the building in a handsome manner,"  
continued Mr. Ord. "It will be made  
one of the most inviting, as well as  
the largest lodge quarters in the ter-  
ritory. The cost of the castle, as sta-  
ted before, will be about \$10,000."

The ownership of the temple is in  
the hands of a stock company which  
has been organized. It was stated  
yesterday that about all the stock has  
been subscribed. The stock has all  
been taken by local Knights of Py-  
thias.

The plans for the building have al-  
ready been made public. It is to be  
two stories, with the front facing  
west on O K street. The architecture  
of the building will be somewhat more  
elaborate than any of the buildings  
yet erected in this city.

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TRouble WITH BUTTE MESSEN-  
GERS IS GETTING SERIOUS

Telegraph Company Will Pay Better  
Wages, But Trades Assembly De-  
mands More of Them Than This

Butte, Mont., April 25.—Indications  
point to a fight to the finish between  
the Western Union Telegraph com-  
pany and the striking messengers,  
backed by the unions of the city.

The striking messengers have in a  
measure dropped from view and the  
struggle now is over the question of  
recognition of the union, which or-  
ganization the Western Union officials  
announce will not be recognized or  
treated with any consideration.

It is stated upon the best authority  
that the Western Union is willing to  
grant the scale of wages asked by  
the boys, or employ them on a com-  
mission basis, which would be slightly  
over \$25 per month. Eight hours  
as a working day would also be ac-  
ceptable.

The Silver Bow Labor and Trades  
assembly having the strike in charge,  
will meet tomorrow night and it is  
stated will stand firmly for the re-  
cognition of the Messenger Boys' union  
by the telegraph company.

According to the Western Union  
people such a decision on the part  
of the labor assembly will result in  
a permanent abandonment of the  
company's office in this city.

With inadequate police and county  
protection, it is declared inadvisable  
by the telegraph company to try to  
do further business here.

## IN CHURCHES TODAY

Principal Event Will Be Dedication of  
New Church

In features in the churches of Bisbee  
today will be the dedication of the  
new Presbyterian church, for which  
preparations have been made for some  
time. In the afternoon, Professor  
Walter K. Skeels will render a sacred  
recital on the pipe organ. The program  
will be as follows:  
March from the "Queen of Sheba—  
Gounod  
Serenade ..... Schubert  
Jerusalem the Golden, varied—Spark  
Congregation  
Nocturne ..... Brassin  
The Lost Chord ..... Sullivan  
Romanza ..... Parker  
Adante, from the Fifth Symphony  
Beethoven  
Congregation

Narcissus ..... Nevie  
Triumphal March ..... Buck  
Catholic Church  
Services in the Catholic church, Rev.  
Father Geldorf officiating, today will  
be as follows:  
First mass at 8 a. m., in the Mexi-  
can church.  
Second mass at 10 a. m., in St. Pat-  
rick's church or School hill, with ser-  
mon by Rev. Father Geldorf.  
Rosary and Benediction of the Bless-  
ed Sacrament at 7 p. m.

Latter Day Saints  
The services of the Church of Jesus  
Christ of Latter Day Saints will be  
held at 216 Tombstone canyon, under  
the auspices of the Mutual Improve-  
ment association.  
The time will be spent in short lec-  
tures, songs and recitations, by the  
members.

Come and hear the young men speak  
Sunday school at 10 a. m. M. A.  
Stewart, presiding elder.  
Methodist Church  
Services at the Methodist church  
Rev. I. G. Sigler, presiding, today as  
follows:  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Morning sermon by pastor at 11.  
Evening service at 7:45, will consist  
in the rendering of a program by the  
Sunday school and choir. There will  
be music, recitations and responsive  
readings. The program in part is as  
follows:

Chorus  
"The Rosy day Step Forth"—W. A.  
Post ..... School  
"The Song of Triumph"—Lizzie De  
Arnold ..... Chow  
"Roll Back the Stone"—Charles H. Ge-  
briel ..... Solo  
"I'm So Glad to See You"—W. A.  
Post ..... Primary school  
"O Ring Your Sweet Bells"—W. A.  
Post ..... Anthem Choir  
"Oxford" ..... J. H. Sweeney